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UNDER 37 CFR §§ 1.56, 1.97 AND 1.98**

Dear Sir:

In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 CFR § 1.56, Applicant submits this Information Disclosure Statement pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.97 and 1.98 in the above-identified application for consideration by the Patent Office.

A listing of the cited documents, as well as, for the Examiner's convenience, copies of all foreign patent documents and non-patent literature are enclosed. This application was filed after June 30, 2003, and copies of U.S. patents and U.S. patent applications are not required and are not enclosed.

Pursuant to CFR § 1.97(b)(3), because this Statement is being submitted before the first Office Action on the merits, no fee is required.

Applicant does not intend to represent that any of the documents submitted herein are material prior art to this invention or that the list represents an exhaustive search of documents related to this invention.

Applicant respectfully requests that the documents submitted herein be considered and made of record in this application.

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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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	1.	US2002/0061513	May 23, 2002	Seraphin et al.			
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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OTHER DOCUMENTS (including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)							
✓	2.	Hinrichsen & Blackshear, (1993) <i>Regulation of Peptide-Calmodulin Complexes by Protein Kinase C in vivo</i> . PNAS, 90:1585-1589.					
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✓	4.	Puig, et al., (2001) <i>The Tandem Affinity Purification (TAP) Method: A General Procedure of Protein Complex Purification</i> . Methods 24:218-229.					
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✓	8.	Wilson, et al., (2001) <i>The Use of mRNA Display to Select High-Affinity Protein-Binding Peptides</i> . PNAS, 98(7):3750-3755.					
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